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# **REED BED TREATMENT SYSTEMS (CONSTRUCTED WETLANDS) IN THE MIDDLE EAST**

U.A.E., Iran, Oman, Jordan, Qatar



# Wastewater treatment plant

## Mahshahr, Iran

Owner:  
Petrochemical  
Special Economic Zone  
Persian gulf region,  
Islamic Republic of Iran

Consultant:  
Blumberg engineers

Treatment of domestic waste water  
from a worker camp

Person equivalent:  
4,000 PE

Planning: 02/2002 – 10/2002  
Construction: 01/2003 – 06/2004

Pretreatment:  
- Screen, pumping station  
- Sedimentation tank  
- Separate sludge silo  
- Distribution by vacuum siphon

Effluent parameters (2008):  
COD < 30mg/l  
BOD<sub>5</sub> < 18 mg/l  
NH<sub>4</sub>-N < 5 mg/l  
TSS < 3 mg/l

Secondary treatment:  
- Vertical subsurface flow constructed  
wetland  
- 8 reed beds  
- Two-stage system

Discharge:  
- Reuse for irrigation

Gross space requirement:  
- 9,000 m<sup>2</sup>

Special features:  
- Temperature up to 45°C





# Labor Camp Mirfa, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

## Client :

Waagner Biro Gulf

## Contractor :

Waagner Biro Gulf (with support for planning, design, construction supervision, start-up and operation by Mizan Consult)



Installation of dams

Treatment of raw waste water, for reuse as irrigation water.

## Population equivalent:

80 PE

Planning: 04/2011

Construction: 05-07/2011

## Pre-treatment:

- Macerator pump station
- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization Reed Bed  
(2 basins, vertical flow)

## Biological treatment step :

- Reed Bed, vertical flow  
(1 basin, vertical flow)

## Outlet:

- 20 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for: irrigation

## Space requirement:

- 400 m<sup>2</sup>



Spray nozzles test Stage B



Reed Bed treatment system after 6 months of operation

	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity	pH
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU	
Raw sewage, Inflow	383	279	45.4	5.53	357	129			7.65
Reed Bed Stage B, TSE*	<12	< 5	0.2	0.02	933	< 10			7.8
ADSSC/RSB-Standard P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	1	5	6 - 8
ADSSC/RSB-Standard P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75	6 - 9

\*Treated sewage effluent

# Savannah Lodge, Sir Bani Yas Island, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
TDIC

**Contractor :**  
Hilalco

**Main Consultant:**

Parsons with specialised reed bed sub-consultant Mizan Consult for design, construction supervision, start-up and operation

**Population equivalent:**  
90 PE

Planning: 2010  
Construction: 04-10/2011

**Pre-treatment:**

- Macerator pump station
- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization  
Reed Bed  
(2 basins, vertical flow)

**Biological treatment step :**

- Reed Bed, vertical flow  
(2 basins, vertical flow)

**Outlet:**

- 18 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
irrigation

**Space requirement:**

- 1100 m<sup>2</sup>



Excavation of basins



Casting pump station



Sand filling of basins



Basins after 3 months

# Anantara Hotel, Sir Bani Yas Island, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
TDIC

**Contractor :**  
Hilalco  
Waagner Biro Gulf (RBC team)

**Main Consultant:**  
Parsons with specialised reed bed sub-consultant Mizan Consult for design, construction supervision, start-up and operation

**Population equivalent:**  
Phase 1: 300 PE  
Phase 2: 1200 PE

Planning: 2010  
Construction: 04-10/2011

## Pre-treatment:

- Tanker discharge station
- Manual bar screen
- Macerator pump station
- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization  
Reed Bed Stage A  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 248 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

- Reed Bed, vertical flow  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 360 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 62.5 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation

## Space requirement total:

- 8000 m<sup>2</sup>

**Contract value:** 16 Mio AED



Excavation of pump station



Pump station



Earth basins



First TSE discharge



	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity	pH
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU	
Inflow	86	91	22.6	2,27		55	2	24.6	7.55
TSE*	28.5	10	nd	0.355		3.5	7.46	1.53	7.75
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5	6 - 8
ADSSC P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75	6 - 9

\*Treated sewage effluent



# Labor Camp Sila, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
Waagner Biro Gulf

**Contractor :**  
Waagner Biro Gulf (with support for planning, design, construction supervision and start-up by Mizan Consult)

Treatment of complete waste water for reuse as irrigation water.

## Population equivalent:

200 PE

Planning: 07/2011

Construction: 08/2011 - 04-2012

## Pre-treatment:

- Macerator pump station
- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization Reed Bed (2 basins, vertical flow, 260 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

- Reed Bed, vertical flow (1 basin, vertical flow, 340 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 40 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for: irrigation

## Space requirement:

- 800 m<sup>2</sup>



Stage A, after planting reed



	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
Raw Inflow	148	48.7	8.8	364	50		
TSE*	2	0.13	2.1	1324	<5		
ADSSC P1	10	-	-	-	10	1	5
ADSSC P3	50	2	2	-	50	>3	7

\*Treated sewage effluent

# Labour camp, Al Sifa, Oman

## Client :

Muriya Tourism Development Oman

## Contractor :

Bauer Oman (with support for planning, design, construction supervision, start-up and operation by Mizan Consult engineer)



Earth works

## Population equivalent :

100 PE, 14 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning:09/2009

Construction: 11-12/2009

## Sewage treatment:

Raw sewage reed bed

- Cutter pump station
- Vertical filtration reed bed
- Horizontal biological reed bed
- Storage tank, tanker filling

## Sewage sludge treatment :

Directly in filtration reed bed



Basins after planting

## Outlet:

- Storage and reuse for construction

## Advantages:

- No sewage storage & discharge
- Green technology for the project
- Production of fertilizer

## Space requirement:

- 1400 m<sup>2</sup>



Basins after 1 year of operation

	COD	BOD	NH4-N	NO3-N	TDS	TSS	pH
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	
Raw sewage	910	330	62	-	1000	680	7.3
Reed Bed 1 OUT	20	8	22	5	1150	52	7.8
Reed Bed 2 OUT, FINAL	18	7	1.6	6	1200	7	7.9

After 1 year of operation

# Sewage sludge mineralization, Resort Zighybay, Oman

**Client :**  
Six Senses Resort Zighy Bay

**Contractor :**  
Bauer Emirates Environment (with support for planning, design, construction supervision, start-up and operation by Mizan Consult)

**Population equivalent :**  
1400 PE



Filter layer



Planting



After 6 month of operation, view from the private hotel beach





# Wetland roof, Dubai, U.A.E.

## Client :

Dubai Municipality

## Contractor :

Waagner Biro Gulf (with support for planning and design by Mizan Consult engineer)

## Population equivalent:

4 PE

Planning: 10/2007

Construction: 12/2007

## Pre-treatment:

No pre-treatment

- only grinder pump station

## Biological treatment step:

- within the layer of a green roof

## Outlet:

- No outlet
- Direct reuse of the wastewater for roof top irrigation

## Advantages:

- No septic tank
- No sewer connection
- Direct reuse of wastewater
- No contact of people with sewage
- Cooling of container by irrigated green roof

## Space requirement:

- 15 m<sup>2</sup>



Container before installation



Container with wetland roof after planting



Container after 3 years of operation



# Grey-water treatment Labour camp Al Awir, Dubai, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
Waagner Biro Gulf

**Contractor :**  
Waagner Biro Gulf (with support for  
planning , design, construction and  
operation by Mizan Consult)

Treatment of grey-water  
(Showers, washbasins)  
at a labour camp.

**Population equivalent:**  
250 PE

Planning: 12/2005  
Construction: 01-03/2005

**Pre-treatment:**  
- Settlement tanks  
- Pumping station

**Biological treatment step :**  
- vertical subsurface flow constructed  
wetlands

**Outlet:**  
  
25 m<sup>3</sup> of blended water per day.  
  
- Direct reuse of the water for:

Irrigation  
Road watering  
Car washing  
..Fish pond

**Space requirement:**  
- 450 m<sup>2</sup>



Filling of filter material



Reed Bed after 1 year of operation



Reed bed and fish pond with treated water

	COD	BOD	TKN	NO <sub>3</sub> -N	NH <sub>4</sub> -N	PO <sub>4</sub> -P	TDS	TSS	CL	SO <sub>4</sub>	Salinity	pH
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[‰]	
Septic tank IN	162	67	2.1	1	3.6	7.0	314	47				7.1
Reed Bed IN	131	18			6.7	8.2	257	36				7.1
Reed Bed OUT	10.5	2.0	2.5	2.6	0.7	4.8	420	0	113.5	45	0.4	7.7

# Site camp, Lagoons, Dubai U.A.E.

**Client :**  
Wade Adams

**Contractor :**  
Waagner Biro Gulf (with support for planning and design by Mizan Consult)

Treatment of wastewater from a site camp.

**Population equivalent:**  
200 PE

Planning: 03/2006  
Construction: 03/2006

**Pre-treatment:**  
- Septic tanks  
- Pumping station

**Biological treatment step :**  
- constructed wetlands (vertical flow)

**Outlet:**  
  
6 m³ of treated water per day.  
  
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
  
irrigation

**Space requirement:**  
- 150 m²



Filling of filter material



New planted reed



After 2 months of operation

	COD	BOD	TKN	NH <sub>4</sub> -N	PO <sub>4</sub> -P	TSS	pH
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	
Septic IN	400	193			9	186	6.9
Septic Out	301	114			8	70	7.0
Reed Bed OUT	16	3	2.8	0.2	1.8	0	7.4



# Drilling Camp, Abu Butabul, Oman

**Client:**  
British Gas

**Contractor:**  
Bauer Emirates Environment (with support for design, construction supervision, start-up and operation by Mizan Consult)

**Capacity:**  
200 population equivalent  
35 m³/d

**Pre-treatment:**  
- Raw sewage lift station with grinder

**Biological treatment step :**  
- 2 vertical flow constructed wetlands for suspended solids removal and organic load reduction  
- 2 horizontal flow constructed wetlands for biological treatment

**Outlet:**  
- Storage pond and direct reuse for irrigation

**Sludge treatment:**  
- Sewage sludge mineralization (primary sludge) at first treatment step

**Area requirement:**  
- 1,800 m²

**Operating costs**  
Power consumption

5 kWh/d

Amount of composted sludge:  
10 m³/year

Period of sludge removal  
20 years

Maintenance staff: 0,03 skilled worker



Reed bed 1. stage, under construction



Reeds after 8 months of operation (08-2008)



Reed Beds after 2 years operation (01-2010)

	<b>COD</b>	<b>BOD</b>	<b>NH4-N</b>	<b>TDS</b>	<b>TSS</b>	<b>pH</b>	<b>FC</b>
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]		/100ml
Reed Bed 2 out, final effluent	30	5	<0.1	2,000 – 8,800	< 5	7.9	Not detected

# Sewage sludge mineralisation reed bed Al Salt, Jordan

## Client :

KfW, Waj Jordan

## Contractor :

Bauer Emirates Environment (with support for design, construction-supervision and start-up by Mizan Consult)

## Capacity:

8 m<sup>3</sup>/day surplus sludge (2.5 %DS)

Planning: 05/2011

Construction: 07-10/2011

## Sewage treatment:

Extended aeration

- Aeration basin
- Settling tanks
- Multimedia filtration

## Sewage sludge treatment :

- sludge mineralization reed beds (vertical flow)

## Outlet:

- Sludge liquor is pumped back to STP

## Advantages:

- No sludge storage & discharge
- Production of fertilizer

## Space requirement:

- 640 m<sup>2</sup>



Filter layer installation



Sludge bed 2 months under operation



Sludge bed 7 months under operation (Oct.- Mai)



# Al Hamra Housing Project, Ras Al Khaimah, U.A.E.

## Client :

Ministry of Public Works

## Contractor :

First Gulf Line (Main)

RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.

## Main Consultant:

KN-International (with support by Mizan Consult)

## Population equivalent:

Phase 1: 100 villas, 800 PE, 216 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning: 2012-2013

Construction: 04/2014-04/2015

## Pre-treatment:

- Tanker discharge station
- Manual bar screen
- Macerator pump station

- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization  
Reed Bed Stage A  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 675 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

- Drainage pump station
- Reed Beds, vertical flow  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 900 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 150-200 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation & Tanker filling

## Space requirement total:

- 12.000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 4 Mio AED (RBC), total 16 Mio AED



Start of excavation and filling



Pump station



Drainage system



	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
Inflow	446	175	33.4	11.6		308		386
TSE	22	7	0.99	0.35		<5		0.33
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5



# Al Haray Housing Project, Fujeirah, U.A.E.

## Client :

Ministry of Public Works

## Contractor :

Dar AIWd

RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.

## Main Consultant:

KN-International (with support for design, construction supervision and operation by Mizan Consult)

## Population equivalent:

Phase 1: 132 villas, 880 PE, 316 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning: 2012-2013

Construction: 2013-2014

## Pre-treatment:

- Tanker discharge station
- Manual bar screen
- Macerator pump station

- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization  
Reed beds Stage A  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 1000 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

- Drainage pump station
- Reed beds, vertical flow  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 4 x 1325 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 220-316 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation & Tanker filling

## Space requirement total:

- 15.000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 7 Mio AED (RBC), total 25 Mio AED



Start of excavation and filling



Liner installation



Drainage system



	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
Inflow	260	105	37.8	12.2		138		93.2
TSE	31	9	1.15	0.23		6		2.71
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5
ADSSC P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75

# Doha North STP TSE Lagoon, Qatar

## Client :

Ashgal Infrastructure Works, Qatar

## Contractor :

Keppel Seghers, Waagner Biro Gulf (RBC team)

## Main Consultant:

KEO, Stanley Consultants (with support for design, construction supervision and operation by Mizan Consult)

## Data of lagoon:

- Deep pond: 8,753 m<sup>2</sup>
- Shallow pond: 5,064 m<sup>2</sup>
- Reed planted wetland area 18,821 m<sup>2</sup>
- Walkway 568 m<sup>2</sup>
- Gazebo 3 Nr.
- Circulation pump: 600 l/s,
- Total Storage volume: 18.000 m<sup>3</sup>

Planning: 2012

Construction: 2012-2015

## Treatment of lagoon water:

- Gravel filled reed planted wetland area
- Drainage water collection system
- Recirculation pump

## Space requirement total:

- 33.000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 7 Mio AED



Liner installation



Drainage system and gravel filter



Wetland area, fresh planted





# Al Haray Housing Project, Fujeirah, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
Ministry of Public Works

**Contractor :**  
DarAIWd

**Main Consultant:**  
KN-International (with support for design by  
Mizan Consult engineer)

**Population equivalent:**  
Phase 2: 198 villas, 1584 PE, 576 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning: 2014-2015  
Construction: 2015-2016

## **Pre-treatment:**

- Tanker discharge station
- Basket screen
- Lifting pumps
- Rotor rakes

- Sludge Filtration & Mineralization  
Reed Bed Stage A  
(10 basins, vertical flow, 6 x 1000 m<sup>2</sup>)

## **Biological treatment step :**

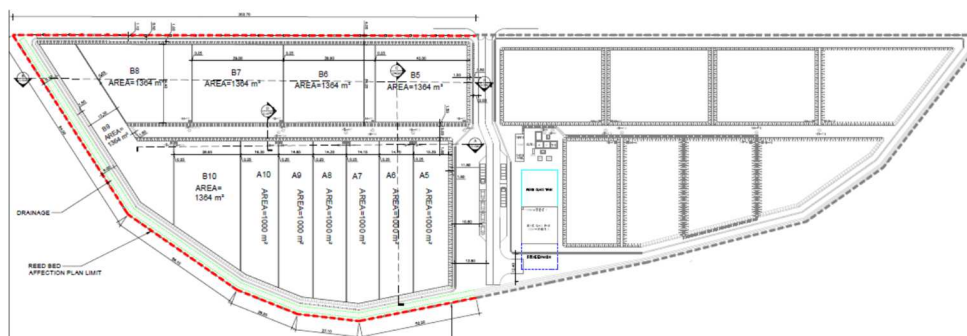
- Drainage pump station
- Reed Bed, vertical flow  
(4 basins, vertical flow, 6 x 1325 m<sup>2</sup>)

## **Outlet:**

- 500 - 700 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation & Tanker filling

## **Space requirement total:**

- 22.000 m<sup>2</sup>



	COD [mg/l]	BOD [mg/l]	NH4-N [mg/l]	PO4-P [mg/l]	TDS [mg/l]	TSS [mg/l]	DO [mg/l]	Turbidity NTU
Inflow								
TSE								
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5
ADSSC P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75



# Mountain Wildlife Visitor Center, Kalba, Sharjah, U.A.E.

## Client :

Government of Sharjah. H. H. Ruler's office

## Contractor :

Main Contractor: Hardco  
RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.

## Main Consultant:

URS, Mott Mac Donald (with support for planning and design by Blumberg engineers and Mizan Consult)

## Population equivalent:

1000 visitors, 30 staff members, 30 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning: 2013-2014

Construction: 2015

Start: 12-2015

## Pre-treatment:

- Lift Station
- Septic tank
- Grinder lift station

## Biological treatment step :

- Vertical subsurface flow constructed wetland (2 basins, 2 x 300 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 20-30 m<sup>3</sup> of treated water per day.
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation

## Space requirement total:

- 1.050 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 1.09 Mio AED



Excavation septic tank



Installation of distribution pipes



Reed Bed under operation

	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
Inflow	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TSE	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5
ADSSC P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75

# Dubai Creek Harbour, Wetland Recovery Center, U.A.E.

**Client :**  
EMAAR, The Lagoons Phase One L.L.C.

**Contractor :**  
RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.

**Main Consultant:**  
Mott Mac Donald

**Population equivalent:**  
210,000 reed plants

Planning: 2016  
Construction: 2016-2017  
Start: 03-2017

**Pre-treatment:**  
- TSE Irrigated Nursery

**Biological treatment step :**

**Outlet:**  
- 20-30 m<sup>3</sup> TSE.  
- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Road watering

**Space requirement total:**  
- 11 x 312 m<sup>2</sup>

**Contract value:**  
- 2.9 Mio AED



Excavation of reed plants



Nursery fresh potted reeds



Nursery after 4 month

	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
Inflow	216	82	6.39'	47	2662	47'	4.7'	6.92'
TSE	-	-	-	-		-		-
ADSSC P1	-	10	-	-	-	10	>1	5
ADSSC P3	-	50	2	2	-	50	>3	75

TSE, used for irrigation of the nursery



# Dubai Creek Harbour, Wetland Creation, U.A.E.

## Client :

EMAAR, The Lagoons Phase One L.L.C.

## Design & Build Contractor :

RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.  
Sievertconsult

## Supervision Consultant:

Mott Mac Donald

## Population equivalent:

100,000 m<sup>2</sup> wetland

Planning: 2016-2017

Construction: 2017-2018

Start: 10-2018

## Pre-treatment:

- TSE from Municipality used for filling

## Biological treatment step:

Area A 33,543m<sup>2</sup> surface flow wetland

Area B 20,015 m<sup>2</sup>, pond with islands

Area C 46,442 m<sup>2</sup> planted submerged vertical gravel filter

## Outlet:

- 2750 m<sup>3</sup> TSE/day (Summer)

- 3250 m<sup>3</sup> TSE/day (Winter)

- Direct reuse of the water for:  
Irrigation tank top up

## Space requirement total:

- 100,000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 22.5 Mio AED



	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	Turbidity
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	NTU
TSE-IN	216	82	6.39'	47	2662	47'	4.7'	6.92'
TSE-OUT	<40	<6	<5	< 3		<5		-



# Haya Water, Pilot Reed Bed

## Client :

Haya-Water, Oman

## Contractor :

RBC, Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C.

## Consultant:

Sievertconsult

## Population equivalent:

220 PE

Planning: 2016

Construction: 2016

Start: 01-2017

## Pre-treatment:

- Buffer tank
- Anoxic tank (25 m<sup>3</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

Stage A: 3 x 139 m<sup>2</sup> (417 m<sup>2</sup>)

Stage B: 2 x 312,5 m<sup>2</sup> (625 m<sup>2</sup>)

## Outlet:

- 20 m<sup>3</sup>/day
- Reuse for irrigation

## Space requirement total:

- 1300 m<sup>2</sup>

## Contract value:

- 0,6 Mio AED



	COD	BOD	NH4-N	PO4-P	TDS	TSS	DO	VHO
	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	Oval/L
TSE-IN	974	330	59	11	1456	508	-	30
TSE-OUT	24	5	0,3	0,7	1730	2	6,4	0
MD 145/93 Standard A	150	15	5	30	1500	15	-	< 1





# Feynan Ecolodge, Reed Bed

(Decentralized Wastewater Management for Adaption to Climate Change in Jordan)

## Client :

giz, Borda, Water Authority of Jordan (WAJ)

## Contractor:

Shabatat Contracting

## Consultant:

Ingenieurbüro Blumberg

## Population equivalent:

5 m<sup>3</sup>/day

Planning: 2016  
Construction: 2018  
Start: 12-2018

## Pre-treatment:

- Biogas-chamber for blackwater as primary Treatment (20 m<sup>3</sup>, 3 – 5 m<sup>3</sup> Biogas per day)
- ABR (Anaerobic Baffled Reactor, 5 Chamber total 29 m<sup>3</sup>)

## Biological treatment step :

- Solar lift station
- Syphon chamber
- Vertical flow constructed wetland: 2 x 75 m<sup>2</sup> (150 m<sup>2</sup>)
- Solar lift station to irrigation tank

## Outlet:

- 4 m<sup>3</sup>/day
- Reuse for irrigation

## Space requirement total:

- 200 m<sup>2</sup>



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	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	[mg/l]	Oval/L
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TSE-OUT	40	5	30	2	-	5	2	0
JS 893/2006 Category A	100	30	30	15	1500	50	-	< 0.1



# Dubai Expo 2020

(Sustainable Pavilion, Water Management)

**Client :**  
EMAAR

**Main Contractor :**  
ASGC,

**Design & build Contractor :**  
Reed Bed Contracting L.L.C. & Sievertconsult

**Consultant:**  
Sherwood, Grimshaw

**Waste Water:**  
55 m<sup>3</sup>/day black-Water (Reed bed & UF)  
7 m<sup>3</sup>/day grey water (UF)  
20 m<sup>3</sup>/day desalination of ground water (RO)  
11 m<sup>3</sup>/day condensate (UF)  
Evaporation pond for brine

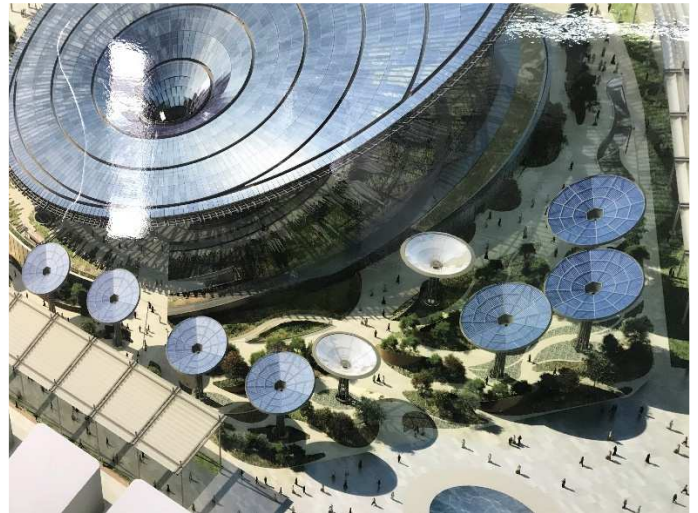
Planning: 2019  
Construction: 2019-2020  
Start: 09-2020 (21)

**Reuse:**  
- Black water for toilet flushing and irrigation  
- Grey water for hand washing & ablution  
- Condensate and groundwater for potable use

**Biological treatment step:**  
- Black water: Reed Bed & aeration tanks

**Mechanical treatment step:**  
- Black water: Ultrafiltration  
- Grey water: Disk filter and Ultrafiltration  
- Ground water: Filter & RO  
- Condensate: Disk Filter and Ultrafiltration

**Space requirement total:**  
- Black water: Settling tanks in landscaping 25 m<sup>3</sup>,  
Reed Beds 771 m<sup>2</sup> + 2 x 30 m<sup>3</sup> aeration tanks,  
Ultrafiltration skid  
- Grey water: 25 m<sup>3</sup> buffer tank, Disk & UF-Skid  
- Condensate: 25 m<sup>3</sup> buffer tank, Metal removal  
and Adsorption Filter



# Raw wastewater treatment by constructed wetlands in Al Azraq, Jordan

## Employer:

BORDA Aman, Water Authority of Jordan (WAJ)

## On behalf of:

Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)

## Consultant:

Ingenieurbüro Blumberg (Blumberg Engineers)

## Short description:

Two-stage wastewater treatment plant for a town in the Governorate of Zarqa

## Population equivalent:

8358 PE

## Daily loading rate:

515 m<sup>3</sup>/d

## Project status:

Inception Phase: 11-2017 – 06-2018

Planning completed: 11-2019

Implementation Phase: 2020 - 2021

## Pre-treatment:

- 2 tanker discharge stations
- 2 automatic bar screen (40 mm)

## Stage A reed beds:

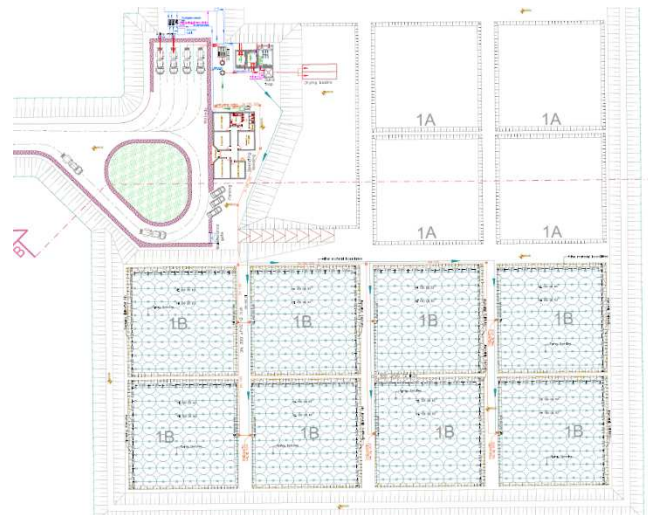
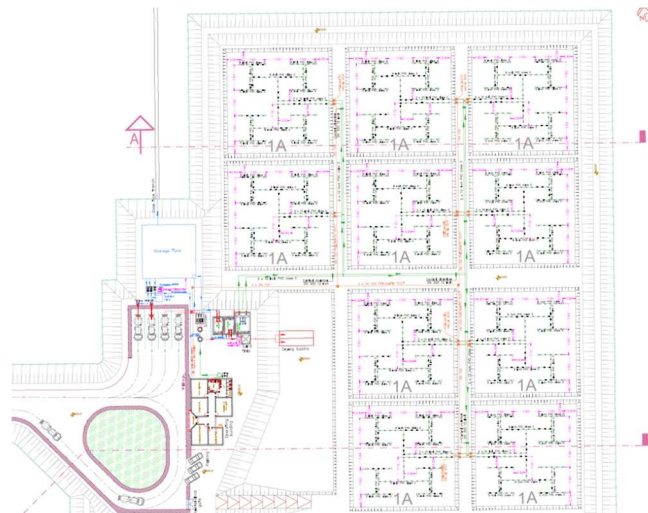
- Syphon: V = 30 m<sup>3</sup>, Q = 140 l/s
- 10 basins á 1,000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Stage B reed beds:

- Pump station: V = 40 m<sup>3</sup>, Q = 32 l/s
- 8 basins á 1,000 m<sup>2</sup>

## Effluent discharge reuse:

- Storage pond and reuse for irrigation and non potable reuse on site



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TSE-OUT								
JS 893/2006 Category A	100	30	30	15	1500	50	-	< 0.1